

HOSPITAL DISTRICT TO GO ON BALLOT IN JUNE ELECTION

Organization of Washington Township Hospital District passed the first official hurdle this week when the Board of Supervisors, on motion of Supervisor Chester E. Stanley, approved formation of the district on the basis that the program is feasible, financially sound, and in the public interest.

ONE PROTEST

The action was taken at Tuesday's meeting of the board with a score of Washington Township residents attending. Only one protest was lodged with the board. Serafin Caldeira of Centerville, owner of 35 acres of land, protested formation of the district as unnecessary, and asked that his land be excluded from the area.

Caldeira's objection was overruled by the board of supervisors on the ground that it was evident that sentiment in favor of the project was overwhelming.

ELECTION DATE SET

Thursday morning the board of supervisors officially ruled on the date of the election, making it June 1 on the same date as the consolidated presidential and state primary.

Present at the supervisors' hearing to support placing the hospital district issue on the ballot were: Mr. and Mrs. Allan Walton, Mr. and Mrs. E. Dixon Bristow, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Berge, Chairman E. E. Enos of the hospital committee, Joseph Enos, P. J. Faletti, Dr. E. M. Grimmer, Dr. Merle Buehler, Max Stevenson, Jerry Sletton and L. R. Batman.

AUTO COURT PERMIT

The State Division of Housing this week issued a permit to operate an auto court to J. B. Dotson of the Twin Palms Auto Court on the Niles-Mission San Jose Highway.

Coming Events

FRIDAY

Boxing Carnival, W.U.H.S. gymnasium, 8 p.m.
Grammar School Barn Dance, Niles School, 7:15 p.m.

SATURDAY

De Guadalupe Institute, Y.L.I., dance, Newark Pavilion, 9 p.m.
Toyon Branch garden tour, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tea at Old Adobe 3 to 5 p.m.
St. Jude's Institute, Y.L.I., Past Presidents' Club Food Sale, Leal building, Irvington, 3 to 5 p.m.

MONDAY

B.P.W.C. election of officers, W.U.H.S.
Friendly Sewing Circle, I.O.O.F. Hall, Irvington, 1 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Catholic men's meeting, I.D.E.S. Hall, Mission San Jose.
Boy Scout Court of Honor, Decoto Elementary School, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY

De Guadalupe Institute, Y.L.I., homecoming party, Boliba's Hall.

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NEW REGULATIONS ON POWER HERE

Changes in power regulations affecting homes in the unincorporated territory of Alameda County were announced this week by Robert P. O'Brien, state director of emergency power.

O'Brien's newest order provides that applications for additional power, or initial applications for electrical energy for ranges, water heaters or other household uses must be made direct to the Pacific Gas and Electric Company at its nearest office.

If the power company cannot dispose of the application satisfactorily it will be referred to the citizens committee appointed by the board of supervisors.

The citizens committee, with headquarters at Room 208, Court House, will concern itself primarily with applications for permits for industrial uses of power, farm pumping plants, and other large users of electrical energy.

WEEK'S RAINFALL BOOSTS SEASON'S TOTAL TO 12.34

Rainfall totaling 1.20 inches was recorded by the Southern Pacific rain gauge at Niles during the past week, according to Manuel Swartz.

The showers, which have continued intermittently throughout the week, brought the total rainfall since July 1, 1947, to 12.34 inches, an inch and a half above last season's total to this date, but three inches below the average yearly rainfall.

E. A. Richmond of the Alameda County Water District, said yesterday that it will not be known until Saturday, when the local wells are measured, if the rainfall and slight flow down Alameda Creek raised the water levels. He added that when the wells were measured last week it was found that the level was being maintained. "Any rainfall and flow down Alameda Creek now should result in a raising in the water levels of the wells," he said.

In the meantime, Robert P. O'Brien, emergency power director, outlined a continued conservation program. He said that surveys show that response to the curtailment program is most encouraging, adding that Power Conservation Committees which Governor Earl Warren requested be set up, are operating and are forwarding "hardship" applications for decision.

These applications are being acted on by the Emergency Power Director within 24 hours after their receipt, except in some cases where further study is deemed necessary.

HEARST RANCH TO STAGE NILES DAY

Sunday, April 25, has been designated "Niles Day" at the Old Hearst Ranch at Pleasanton, with members of the Niles Chamber of Commerce and Junior Chamber of Commerce scheduled to appear on the "Dude Ranch Breakfast Radio Show."

Members from both local Chambers attended a similar "Niles Day" last year and were interviewed on the radio show. The half-hour radio program is recorded at 11:30 a.m. one Sunday, then re-broadcast the following Sunday at 9:30 a.m. over KSFO. All members who can attend are urged to contact Secretary Vernon Ellsworth. It has also been announced that in connection with the day's festivities, the Junior Chamber will sponsor a golf tournament at the ranch, open to any and everyone from Niles.

FREWAY BRIDGE CONTRACT AWARDED

A contract for constructing three bridges on the East Shore Freeway at Elmhurst Creek, Damon Slough and East Creek Slough has been awarded to E. H. Peterson & Son, Richmond, by the State Department of Public Works. Estimated cost was \$248,249.40.

The award was among contracts totaling \$5,110,137.71 for highway work to be undertaken during the current and next fiscal year, according to C. Pursell, director of Public Works.

NILES STUDENT WINNER OF SPELLING TITLE

ELEANOR OLSON, 7TH GRADER, CHAMPION

Twelve-year-old Eleanor Olson, representing the Niles Elementary School, last Friday evening spelled down 24 other elementary school pupils from the nine schools of Washington Township to win the Second Annual Township Register Spelling Contest.

Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Olson, Niles, is a seventh grader at the school here, and was competing as one of the top three spellers from the school for the

second and third honors in the contest. Second place and \$5 in cash went to Christina Ramirez, an eighth grader, who makes her home with her brother, Trino Ramirez, 403 Ninth street. Lois Gerber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Parnala, 517 Fifth street, also an eighth grade pupil at Decoto, won third place and \$2.50 in cash.

The program was opened by several musical numbers by Cliff Fields and his high school dance band.

PRESENTS TROPHY

At a special assembly held Monday morning at the Niles School, Eleanor Olson, winner of the Township Register Spelling Contest, formally presented the large first-place trophy to the school and received an ovation from the students. The trophy was accepted by E. Dixon Bristow, principal, and will be placed in the trophy case.

The contest was ably conducted by J. C. Taylor of the high school faculty, who served as moderator, pronouncing the words to be spelled. Judges of the event were Judge E. A. Quaresma, Judge Allen G. Norris, and Warren Gravestock. All contestants were awarded passes to the Niles Theater, compliments of Bill Helm, manager.

TWO DECOTO WINNERS

Pupils from the Decoto Elementary School duplicated last year's performance by again winning sec-

CULINARY WORKERS PICKET 'KITCHEN'

A campaign to "unionize every eating establishment in Southern Alameda County" was launched by the Culinary and Bartenders Union, Local No. 823, Hayward, at 10 a.m. Tuesday when a picket line was established at the International Kitchen near Niles.

The picket captain said Tuesday that the A. F. of L. pickets would maintain their march in front of the establishment until it is "a 100 per cent union house displaying a union card."

He objected to the employment of non-union high school girls at the restaurant "when union craftsmen are out of work." He added also that they objected to persons "who put in 12 hours on an 8-hour shift."

The captain went on to say that it is the intention of the union to sustain the campaign in this district by picketing one place at a time until every eating establishment is 100 per cent union.

IRVINGTON C. OF C. TO MEET WEEKLY

The newly renamed Irvington Chamber of Commerce held its first luncheon meeting Tuesday at Roethlin's Cafe and outlined numerous projects to be carried out in the near future for community improvement.

The organization, formerly known as the Irvington Improvement Club, will hold a luncheon meeting each Tuesday between the hours of 12 and 1 p.m., meeting at Roethlin's Cafe for the first four months.

Present at the first luncheon meeting to extend congratulations and best wishes from the Centerville Chamber of Commerce were Dallas Paul, vice-president, and Louis Cardoza, financial secretary.

The group voted to continue sponsorship of the plan to zone the community and R. J. Wright, chairman of the Alameda County Planning Commission, was delegated to obtain maps of tentative zones for display, after which additional public meetings will be scheduled. L. S. Williams was named to the Chamber zoning committee, replacing Robert Howe, who is moving from the community.

O. N. Hirsch announced that he would donate the funds for the painting of the community flag pole and Ben Cramer was delegated to arrange for a painter.

A motion was passed instructing Secretary Frank Mayer to correspond with the State Highway Department, requesting that a pedestrian crosswalk be established in front of the new post office.

DECOTO PROMISED WATER SUPPLEMENT

At the regular monthly meeting of the Decoto Chamber of Commerce, held Tuesday evening at the fire hall, Manuel Hidalgo, chairman of the water committee, reported that E. F. Glassbrook, manager of the Niles office of the Public Utilities California Corporation, had promised that a new well would be bored to furnish additional water to the community. Glassbrook reported that so far he has been unable to secure a site for a well but if and when a site can be located the work will begin immediately.

President Kenneth Garcia, who presided over the meeting, reported that his committee, named to secure a doctor to locate in the community, had been successful in finding a local resident who will construct an office building when a doctor can be located.

Secretary Bernie Joseph was instructed to write to E. D. Moody, Southern Pacific superintendent at Oakland, asking that the company repair the crossing at H and Railroad avenues. Joseph was also instructed to contact John Galvan, of the county road department, to request the installation of a stop sign at H and Railroad avenue and that the shrubbery be trimmed to afford better vision at the intersection.

The members voted continuation of the sponsorship of the Decoto Boy Scout Troop No. 1. Pat Luna, scoutmaster, told the group that he thought it possible that a bus to transport the scouts could be purchased through the War Assets Administration, and the Chamber voted to finance the cost of the license if the bus is purchased. They also ordered a floral tribute for the late Ezra Decoto.

BUILDING PERMIT TOTAL HITS PEAK

The number and valuation of building permits issued in Alameda county during March hit a new high for 1948, it was revealed this week by Marcus S. Carlson, building official.

He announced that 401 permits were issued during the past month with an estimated valuation total of \$2,811,315. As in all previous months the single family dwelling permits led the list with 236 representing an investment of \$1,740,450 issued.

Other permits and their valuation were as follows: 14 duplex dwellings, \$179,600; 5 4-unit dwellings, \$99,200; 2 6-unit dwellings, \$63,000; 1 10-unit dwelling, \$23,600; 59 dwelling alterations, \$79,950; 33 private garages, \$35,450; 20 commercial, \$68,500; 3 industrial, \$7,100; 1 school, \$505,000; 23 miscellaneous, \$8,915; and 4 demolition, \$550.

JUDGE EZRA DECOTO, PROMINENT JURIST, DIES IN OAKLAND

Ezra W. Decoto Jr., 73, Superior Court Judge and member of a pioneer, Alameda County family for whom the town of Decoto was named, died early Tuesday morning at the Providence Hospital after suffering a heart attack.

Appointed to the bench in 1943 by Governor Earl Warren, Decoto sat in court Monday afternoon and was stricken shortly after he returned to his Oakland home, where he lived with his wife, Mrs. Gladys Decoto.

He was a native of the town so named after his father, the late Ezra Sr.

ATTENDED SCHOOLS HERE

A graduate law student of the University of California, he received his primary education in local schools, graduating from the Decoto Elementary School and the original Centerville High School. He taught for two years at the Newark Grammar School before entering the university, where he paid his way by teaching at a one-room schoolhouse in Stanislaus county.

Decoto graduated from the university in 1900 and then became graduate manager, leaving shortly after to take a county position in the probation office.

In 1916 he was appointed prosecuting attorney, Earl Warren being his chief deputy, and served as such until 1925, when he was appointed to the California Railroad Commission, of which he later became president.

RELATIVES HERE

Leaving the state commission to enter private practice, he was called again to public duty as Superior Court Judge, the appointment coming from Governor Warren.

In addition to his widow, he is survived by his two daughters, Mrs. James Nordahl, of Oregon, and Mrs. Webster Jessup, Glendale; two sisters, Mrs. August May, Irvington, and Mrs. Henry Crosby, Oakland; two brothers, Peter Decoto, of Decoto, and Louis Decoto, of Piedmont, and four grandchildren.

He was past-master of the Live Oak Lodge, Masons; past-exalted ruler of the Oakland Elks Lodge, past-potente of Aahmes Temple, Shrine, and was a 33rd degree Mason, and member of the Native Sons and Oakland Moose.

SERVICES THURSDAY

Last Rites were held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday from the Grant D. Miller Mortuaries Chapel at 2850 Telegraph avenue, Oakland, with Dr. Calvin Barkow, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, officiating.

Honorary pallbearers included Governor Warren, District Attorney J. Frank Coakley, J. Marcus Hardin, a former law partner of the deceased, and the 11 judges of the Superior Court.

NEW OFFICERS FOR BUSINESS WOMEN

Nomination and election of officers will be held next Monday evening at the regular monthly meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club, the meeting to be held in the visual education room at the high school. Plans will be made for installation of officers in May.

The program for the evening is under the charge of Miss Gay Knoles, who will give a talk on international relations.

Carmelita Berge, president, and Rosaline Egan will report on the bay district convention at Stockton, which they plan to attend this week-end.

SPRING ROUNDUP AGAIN POSTPONED

The second annual Spring Round-up at Washington Union High School under the sponsorship of the Future Farmers of America, scheduled for Saturday, April 10, has been postponed until April 24, it was announced Wednesday by Jed Oxborrow, faculty advisor to the group.

The postponement was deemed necessary because of the wet grounds at the school stadium. The event was originally scheduled for March 19 and was postponed because of rain.

Neighborhood Meetings To Be Called in Working Out Details of Niles Zoning

Attended by a record crowd of more than 150 persons, the fourth Niles zoning meeting held Wednesday evening in the grammar school auditorium resulted only in decision to continue discussions in an effort to find a generally acceptable zoning plan.

When the matter of continuing steps toward zoning was put to a vote, only three persons voted negatively.

There were a number of specific objections to the manner in which some areas in the town were proposed to be zoned. Objections included: lack of adequate area for industry, the proposed zoning of highway frontage property as residential rather than commercial, lack of provision for multiple-family dwellings and auto courts.

Considerable agitation against zoning is reported to have preceded the meeting for days, to which the large turnout is attributable. Opponents at one time during the discussion suggested that zoning be abandoned, but met with no success.

ZONING GUIDANCE

The meeting was opened by L. R. Batman, chairman of the Niles Chamber of Commerce zoning committee which includes Vernon Ellsworth, Dr. E. C. Grau, and Howard Mitchell. County Planning Engineer John Thomas and County Planning Consultant Ronald Campbell were introduced.

Campbell took over the meeting from this point, explaining the general purposes of zoning, which "regulates use of private property to the public interest."

He explained that zoning is not intended so much for restriction of property uses as for guidance of physical development of the county. It considers a community's needs and forecasts future requirements.

NEIGHBORHOOD MEETINGS

Certain items of misinformation circulated locally by opponents of zoning were corrected by Campbell, who then opened the meeting to discussion of proposed zoning of specific pieces of property.

There were objections galore. Finally, it was suggested by Robert Blacow that the best process for ironing out all the difficulties would be by neighborhood meetings which would consider only neighborhood problems.

The motion was made by George Roeding Jr. that zoning discussions be continued. Unanimous except for the few hands feebly raised in objection, the motion carried.

PROMISES ACTION ON BUS SPEEDING

A reply to the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce letter to the Peerless Stages Corporation, reporting that many of their buses were speeding through the local business district, was received Wednesday by Secretary Vernon Ellsworth, from H. D. Gaeta, president of the company.

Gaeta stated, "We appreciate the interest you are taking in our organization and if you will be kind enough to submit, in the future, the date, time and number of the buses involved, we will take disciplinary action against the drivers."

"Your letter was posted on the company bulletin boards with a notice that if the drivers exceeded the speed limit as indicated by your letter they would be subject to disciplinary action."

"Our organization has been serving your community for over a quarter of a century and we wish to maintain the good will that we have gained over those years."

RESUME DANCING CLASSES

The weekly dancing classes of Mrs. Margaret Gemanini offered by the Washington Evening School, were resumed Wednesday evening after being suspended during Lent. The classes convene each Wednesday at the school at 8 p.m.

CONDUCTS POLICE COURT

Judge E. A. Quaresma, Niles, conducted a session of police court in Oakland Wednesday morning.

TELEPHONE RATES INCREASED HERE

The California Public Utilities Commission this week granted the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company a gross increase in rates which will have effect locally in Mission San Jose, Warm Springs, Alvarado and Decoto exchanges.

The commission denied many of the rate increase requests, but for Alvarado and Decoto did allow an increase from \$3.00 to \$3.25 for residence individual flat rate, from \$4.25 to \$4.50 for business individual flat rate; and from \$3.75 to \$4.00 for a business two-party flat rate.

For Mission San Jose and Warm Springs residence individual flat rate was increased from \$3.00 to \$3.25; business individual flat rate from \$4.25 to \$4.50; and business two-party flat rate from \$3.75 to \$4.00.

The company's request for increased rates for the Centerville, Irvington, Newark, and Niles exchanges was denied.

In a 74-page decision handed down by the commission, a pronounced improvement in party line service has been ordered in smaller exchanges. Beginning January 1, 1949, the company will be required to introduce full-selective ringing on 4-party residence service with all conversions of offices from manual to dial operation. This means that a subscriber to four-party service will hear his own telephone ring only.

CENTERVILLE GIRL RANKS WITH BEST

In competition with Roxanne Haug, who came in second in the nation's spelling contest last year, Margaret Pocchi, eighth grade student at Centerville Elementary School last Wednesday took second place in the San Francisco News Alameda County Spelling contest. The Haug girl won first place.

Fifteen Alameda county schools were competing. Four schools from the township were entered: Centerville, Niles, Newark, and Irvington. Eleanor Olson of Niles, last week's winner of the Township Register spelling bee, lasted for several rounds, but luck was against her apparently that day.

Margaret Pocchi is receiving the congratulations of her friends this week upon having achieved something of a triumph in view of the stiff competition she was up against.

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TELLES MOVE TURKEY RANCH TO NILES

The Centerville Turkey Farm, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. John B. Telles, has moved to its new location on the Mission-Niles highway near the Hetch-Hetchy water tunnel, where the couple have purchased an 18-acre ranch.

The Telles, who have operated one of the largest turkey farms in

Southern Alameda County since 1934, have announced that the name of the business has been changed to Telles Turkey Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Telles have built up a fine business and said this week that they expect to serve their old and new customers in the future even better than in the past. Telles said yesterday that he has 4,500 baby beef turkeys ordered for 1948.

BLOOD SPOTTING NOT REDUCED BY CANDLING

Bloodspotting in eggs cannot be cut down simply by candling out blood-spotted eggs during the hatching season, say Drs. I. Michael Lerner and Lewis W. Taylor, University of California College of Agriculture poultry husbandmen.

The two men have just completed a three-year study to compare 26 sets of full sisters for the tendency of each to lay eggs with blood spots. In each pair, one pullet was hatched from an egg containing a blood spot, and her full sister was hatched on the same day from a clear egg. Both birds laid for the same period of time. A few extras made 72 pullets in all.

"We found that pullets hatched from eggs with blood spots laid only two more blood-spotted eggs per thousand than birds hatched from clear eggs," they reported. The 27 birds hatched from eggs

with blood spots laid 4,322 eggs, with 4.86 per cent of them blood-spotted. The 45 pullets hatched from clear eggs laid 6,588 eggs, and 4.66 per cent of them had blood spots.

This amount of blood-spotting was much higher than the average for the whole flock, because half the sample had to be chosen for high blood-spotting.

Drs. Lerner and Taylor discovered this curious fact also. In 13 sets of birds, those hatched from clear eggs laid more blood-spotted eggs than their full sisters hatched from eggs with blood spots. In 11 sets, the opposite was true, and in two sets both sisters laid equal amounts of blood-spotted eggs.

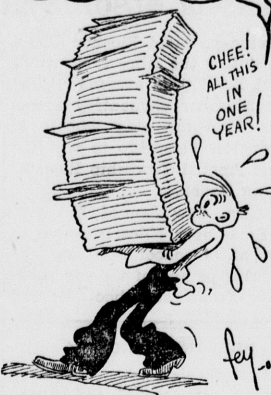
START NEW PROJECT

The Newark Girl Scout Troops started new projects on arts and crafts this week. At the present time they are working on sewing baskets. Their next project will be community life.

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TURKEYS ARE A BIG INDUSTRY IN CALIFORNIA

Production of turkeys in California has changed from a side line to a main enterprise. Since 1943, California has raised more turkeys than any other state and now produces more turkeys than it needs for home consumption, causing a less favorable price in California than in the country as a whole.

These are some of the conclusions of Edwin C. Voorhies, University of California College of Agriculture economist writing in Circular 380, "California Turkeys, Situation and Outlook, 1948."

Turkey is now in continuous competition with chicken and red meats on the market, Prof. Voorhies says (as improved advertising and merchandising methods have made turkey a year-round food item instead of just holiday fare. The turkey producer should watch these competing foods closely, Prof. Voorhies says, since changes in their price structure will affect his own.

Current high prices will probably not continue beyond 1948, the professor believes, and net returns in the next few years may fall considerably below the high profits of -943-1946 since, in spite of high prices, there will be fewer birds to sell because the state's present

supply of breeder hens is far below the war-years average.

Circular 380, "California Turkeys," is available free from farm advisors or direct from the College of Agriculture, Berkeley 4.

The California 1947 wool clip is estimated at 15,054,000 pounds, and brought cash receipts to producers totaling \$6,473,000. This annual production is nearly 15 per cent less than the 1946 total. It is 37 per cent less than production in as recent a year as 1942. California in 1947 ranked fourth among states in total wool production.

The Department of Agriculture has announced its plans for supporting 1948 crop Irish potato prices. In the absence of any action by the Congress the U. S. Department of Agriculture will, of course, continue to support potato prices at 90 per cent of parity until December 31, 1948.

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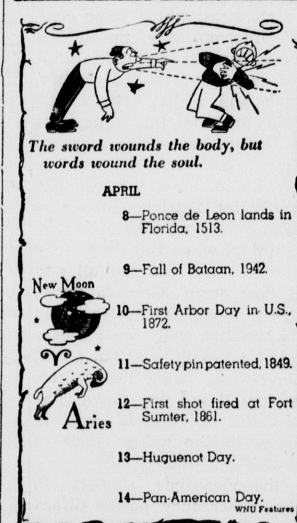
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Peaches Sunsweet Dried—11-oz. Package 2for35c
Salt Sno White—24-oz. Package 2for9c
Macaroni Spaghetti—Golden Grain—16-oz. 22c
Rice Krispies Kellogg—5 1/2-oz. Package 14c

MISCELLANEOUS

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Sno-Cola (Plus Deposit)—12-oz. Bottle 6for25c
Sanka Coffee Regular or Drip—1-lb. Can 59c
Oats Albers Quick—3-lb. Package 36c
Beef Stew Walker's Auster, Veg.—15-oz. 27c
Potatoes Shortening—Red Seal, Cheese Coated 2 1/2-oz. Can 2for25c
Mushroom Sauce Riviera—7 1/2-oz. Can 2for19c
Cheese Spread Sheffield's Finest and Olive Finest—3-oz. Glass 23c
Salad Dressing Duchess—3-oz. Glass 35c
French Dressing Girard's—8-oz. Glass 23c
Grapelade Welch—16-oz. Glass 22c
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BARN DANCE TONIGHT

A Barn Dance for all seventh and eighth graders of Washington Township will be given by the Niles Girl Scout Troop No. 1 tonight (Friday) in the auditorium of the Niles Elementary School. Dancing will be from 7:15 until 10 p.m. with the admission 15 cents and student body card. Leaders Mrs. W. F. Lamoreux and Mrs. L. R. Creighton, will be in charge.

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AT NAVAL BASE

The city of Livermore will have first choice of the Naval Air Station landing field and hangar for use as a municipal airport.

Supervisor Chester E. Stanley said that the city would be given consideration at the earliest possible time. He pointed out that the lease between the county and federal government has not yet been approved formally. As soon

as that lease has been negotiated, then the county can deal with the city of Livermore and other subdivisions interested in using part of the base.

Livermore City Attorney Richard Callaghan told the board he is informed that the Livermore School Department is also interested in negotiating an agreement with the county for use of the swimming pool and other recreational facilities.

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SPORTS

ANNUAL BOXING
CARNIVAL AT HIGH
SCHOOL TONIGHT

The annual Washington Union High School Boxing Carnival, long a favorite evening's entertainment with sportsfans from Southern Alameda County, will be staged in the school auditorium tonight with 11 bouts scheduled.

The first bout is scheduled for 8 p.m., but judging from former year's audiences, the gymnasium will be filled to capacity before that time. The affair is staged annually as a benefit for the student body fund, with admission set at 25 cents for students and 60 cents for adults.

The coaching staff of the school, Jud Taylor, Irv Hird, and Clyde Voorhees, are in charge of the fights, with Hird serving as general chairman and Voorhees and Taylor in each fighter's corner as seconds.

DeWitt Portal, boxing instructor at San Jose State College, will be the referee and Sam Della Magiore, wrestling coach at Santa Clara University and one of his students will act as judges. Each bout will consist of three 2-minute rounds.

The following bouts have been scheduled:

Dave Duran vs. Lawrence Rose, 122 pounds.

Bill Ruelas vs. Frank Saguindel, 125 pounds.

Tony Zendejas vs. Bob Hernandez, 138 pounds.

Jackie Borge vs. Robert Sausedo, 130 pounds.

Phil Enciso vs. Don Andrade, 160 pounds.

Don Pine vs. Merle Runolfson, 165 pounds.

Intermission.

Frank Correia vs. Clarence Chivers, 168 pounds.

Alvin Silva vs. Al Figueroa, 155 pounds.

Ruben Rodriguez vs. Dave Nelson, 152 pounds.

Dan Elizarrey vs. Max Ayala, 140 pounds.

Bill Funk vs. Don Brazil, 190 pounds.

MEN'S CLUB SELECTS
NEXT MEETING DATE

Officers of the Washington Township Men's Club announced this week that the next meeting of that group has been scheduled tentatively for the evening of May 27, to be held at the International Kitchen. E. E. Enos will serve as entertainment chairman.

SPORTSMEN READY
TO STAGE SHOOT

Arrangements for a merchandise shoot to be held Sunday, April 18, by the Niles Sportsmen's Club are being completed, according to Loren Mohn, publicity director.

Last Sunday, despite rain, a good number of the sportsmen showed up to get things ready at the Joe Castro Ranch, where the shoot will be held. A good crew is expected next Sunday to continue the work.

The shoot, under the chairmanship of Joe Pine, will be for high-power, .22 rifle, trap shooting, and possibly archery. Guns, ammunition and refreshments will be available at the grounds.

Prizes will consist of merchandise from the various Niles merchants. The affair will be open to the public to compete.

The club is now in the process of installing permanent fixtures on the property after obtaining a lease from Castro for the land. Refreshment stands and other public conveniences are being constructed.

A call was sent out to all sportsmen in this area to become a member of the local club to help in the drive for the conservation and restoration of game.

SCOUT COURT OF
HONOR APRIL 14

A Boy Scout Court of Honor for all troops of Washington Township has been scheduled for April 14 at 8 p.m. in the auditorium of the Decoto Elementary School.

The members of Decoto Troop 1 and their scoutmaster, Pat Luna, will be hosts for the evening and will be in charge of the Tenderfoot awards. George Coit, Court of Honor chairman, will make the higher awards to the scouts.

Troops expected to participate are: Irvington, Newark, Centerville, Niles, and the host troop. The program is open to the public with no admission charge.

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HUSKIES CONTINUE
MARCH FOR PENANT

Coach Irving Hird's Washington Huskies unleashed a batting onslaught against Los Gatos last Thursday afternoon which gave them an 11 to 4 Santa Clara Valley Athletic League baseball victory.

Henry Serbantes, Huskie second baseman, rapped out a two-run homer, and Vern Machado and Eugene Bramwell each doubled for Washington. The local lads scored five runs in the third inning on one hit when Jordan, Wildcat pitcher, in a moment of wildness, issued five bases on balls.

Two games scheduled for this week for the Huskies were postponed because of wet grounds.

The box score of last Thursday's game:

WASHINGTON		AB	R	H
Serbantes, 2b	.....	1	4	1
Fernandez, 3b	.....	3	2	0
Machado, ss	.....	3	1	2
Salvadore, cf	.....	4	1	0
Silva, lf	.....	4	1	1
Andrade, rf	.....	1	1	0
Alameda, p	.....	2	0	0
Enciso, c	.....	4	0	1
Bramwell, 1b	.....	2	1	1
Totals	.....	24	11	6

LOS GATOS		AB	R	H
Lloyd, 2b	.....	4	0	0
Hedricks, ss	.....	1	1	0
R. Rovai, ss	.....	1	0	0
L. Rovai, 3b	.....	4	2	2
Jordan, p	.....	4	1	1
Payne, 1b	.....	4	0	1
Barnett, lf	.....	4	0	1
Viali, cf	.....	2	0	1
Rhoads, rf	.....	3	0	0
Spellman, rf	.....	0	0	0
Stark, c	.....	1	0	1
Bastovan, c	.....	2	0	0
Totals	.....	30	4	7

The use of coffee as a beverage is believed to have originated in Abyssinia.

GAME RAINED OUT

The Niles Merchants, scheduled for a baseball game against the Ashland Merchants on the Ashland diamond for the last two Sundays, were again rained out and the game has been set for this Sunday at 11:30 a.m., according to Manager Tom Pugmire.

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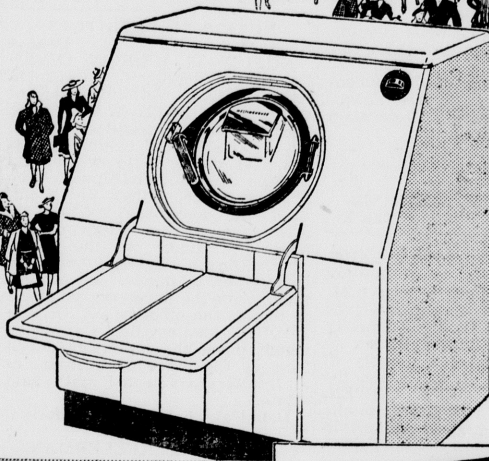
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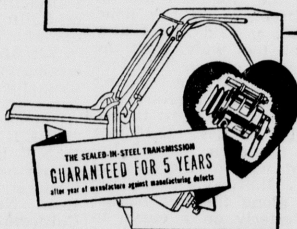
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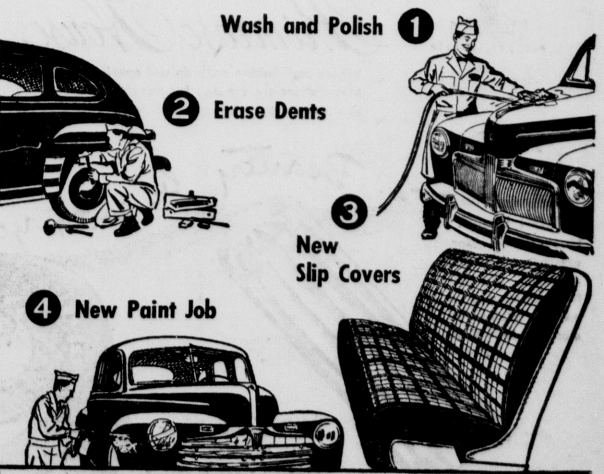
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TWO FILINGS FOR DECOTO TRUSTEE

A race for election to fill the one vacancy on the Decoto Elementary School Board of Trustees was assured this week when William Davis, incumbent, filed his papers as a candidate for re-election.

Opposing Davis will be Kenneth Garcia, 27, president of the Decoto Chamber of Commerce and chairman of the community's Boy Scout committee, who filed as a candidate for the school board last week.

Wednesday, April 21, is the deadline for filing as a candidate and the election will be held on May 21 for all school districts in the township.

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YOUTH ACCEPT I.D.E.S.
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At a successful and fully attended business meeting on Thurs-



day evening, April 1, at the Mission Grammar School, it was unanimously voted that the Mission Youth Center would accept the I. D. E. S. Hall as a future meeting and social center. Mr. Walter Connolly and Ralph Souza, two of a committee from Council No. 1, I.D.E.S., were present to talk to the boys and girls and a number of their parents concerning the youth of the town using and helping to care for the hall.

A committee of two, Nadine Smith and John Recend, were appointed to take care of all scrap book material obtainable on different activities of the group. A membership committee consisting of "Weezer" Fernandez, Laura Medeiros, Georgia Laughlin and Regina Schneider, was appointed to contact all young folks who are interested (in the Mission School district) to become members of this new and very active group. To date no provisions are on hand for the entrance of other young

NILES CHURCH HAS
THIRD ORDINATION

Donald Kirkbride last Thursday night was ordained at the Niles Congregational Church in the presence of a large group of eminent clergymen as well as a host of friends and well-wishers, marking the third time that Niles has had the opportunity of seeing one of its student pastors ordained.

In the 1890's Mr. Frederick H. Marr was ordained in the Niles church, which held its services in the old school building. Mr. Marr was also married in the church. Then in the late 1920's Mr. Elmer Brinkmeyer was also ordained. Reverend Kirkbride is the first to receive ordination in the present church building.

Dr. Alfred Fiske of San Francisco State College delivered the main sermon Tuesday evening, an inspiring message to the young minister as well as to the congregation. Several other noted bay area pastors took part in the ceremony. Mrs. Helen Olson sang two solos, accompanied by Mrs. LeRoy Brown.

Following the rites, a reception was held in the parsonage for friends of the popular young minister.

DIES OF HEART ATTACK

Walter T. Oedermaat, 42, who has been residing at Swiss Park near Newark, was found dead early Wednesday morning at the Park, the victim of a heart attack. He was a veteran of World War II. Funeral arrangements are pending at the Berge Mortuary in Irvington.

Cobalt is used in the manufacture of stained glass, paints, tinted porcelain, etc.

folks of other towns but if this group works well together and later feel that they wish to expand, there will be time.

The meeting was presided over by President Richard Meyers and co-President Cecelia Schneider.

A number of special activities such as a box social, a whist party, a public dance, are on the regime of ways to raise money to help in purchasing needed equipment for their use and there is also several parties such as swim, weiner roast, barbecues, etc., for the summer activities. All these affairs will be chaperoned.

The club wishes to take this opportunity to publicly thank Mr. Tom Berge for his generous cash donation and also to thank him for complying with another one of their problems. Also the young folks wish to thank the school board of the Grammar School for allowing them to use the auditorium of the school for their past meetings and most of all a BIG vote of thanks to Mr. Joseph Berge, custodian of the school, for his always generous giving of his own time in having the auditorium always ready for the boys and girls he is so interested in helping.

VISITS MOTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Norman J. Kamp and daughters, Vicki and Teri, of Placerville, spent a few days here at the home of Mrs. Kamp's mother, Mrs. Lois Bottenberg. The Kamps were down on a sad mission, the passing of Norman's father. He, William Kamp, had spent the past five months with the Kamps in Placerville where he was confined to his bed most of the time, and was there at the time of his passing. Funeral services were held in Hayward and he was interred in Dublin. He and his family were old time residents of this area. Mr. and Mrs. Kamp also went to Pacific Grove for a couple of days to stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kamp, brother of Norman. They returned to their home on Tuesday after spending the night at El Cerrito at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert. (Bud) Justice, a brother of Elaine.

RECEPTION

On Sunday, at the I.D.E.S. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Santos, newlyweds, were honored at a lovely reception given in their honor by Mrs. Edna Jibson, Mrs. Santos' mother, she being the former Barbara Jibson of Niles, and Mrs. Joseph Santos, mother of the benedict. Over a hundred relatives, friends and neighbors attended the affair and the young folks received many wonderful things to begin housekeeping with as soon as their place here on Bryant street is ready for occupancy.

PLAN ANNUAL DANCE

The Mission Firemen are getting

all set for their 18th annual Dance to be held on April 17 at the Newark Pavilion, with union music by the Jive Bombers. The public is invited. They have accepted into their ranks Ernest Smith, new young owner of the Guadalupe Inn, who will be close by if he is needed as his business is across the street from the fire house.

DECOTO GROUP HERE

The Decoto Discussion Group held their regular meeting here in the Mission at the studio of Misses Olive and Florence Hyde, on Wednesday afternoon following luncheon at the International Kitchen. It was music week, and a gentleman baritone, accompanied by Miss Florence Hyde, discussed and rendered several numbers. Miss Olive Hyde entertained several of her friends in the morning at her home and

they were also members of the group for the afternoon festivities.

J. R. TELLES RESIGNS

Joseph R. Telles, who has served on the Mission San Jose Grammar School Board for the past 20 years, resigned lately and Michael J. Overacker Jr. was appointed in his place. Mr. Telles' new appointment to Road Supervisor has made it necessary for the change. He served well and faithfully all that time and in spite of adverse opposition at times did his part in helping to maintain the school here in the Mission. It is the consensus of the majority of the people here that it is time for the young men or women who have children in school or nearly so to take over and let those who

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION
For Member of the Governing Board of the Irvington School District

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Electors of the Irvington School District of Alameda County, California, that the Annual Election for members of the Board of Trustees of the Irvington School District will be held on the third Friday of May viz, May 21, 1948.

It will be necessary to elect one member.

The polling place for said electors of the Irvington School District will be at the Irvington Elementary School in the Irvington Elementary School District.

The polls will be open between the hours of 12 o'clock A.M., and 7 o'clock P.M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above-named Irvington Elementary School District are:

Mae Raymond, Inspector

Mary Rose, Judge

Mary Freitas, Judge

DR. E. M. GRIMMER, Clerk

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NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
On Friday, the 23rd day of April, 1948, at 10:00 o'clock A.M., in the office of the undersigned trustee, No. 206 Bank of America Building, 2101 Center Street, in the City of Berkeley, County of Alameda, State of California, the undersigned, J. JEFF. COWEN, Jr., as Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, in cash, in lawful money of the United States of America, the following described real property, situate in the City of Niles, Township of Washington, County of Alameda, State of California, to-wit:

Portion of the 10.10 acre tract of land described in the deed by Charles Crocker to Thomas J. Sullivan, dated October 4, 1887, recorded October 22, 1887 in Book 336 of Deeds, page 157, Alameda County Records, described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the Northern line of First Street, or County Road No. 7628, as said Street now exists 50 feet wide, with the Western line of said 10.10 acre tract; running thence along said line of First Street South 74° 08' East 100 feet; thence North 15° 54' East 129.10 feet to the Southern line of the right of way of the Central Pacific Railway Company; thence along the last named line Westerly on a curve to the right with a radius of 18694.28 feet; a distance of 100.13 feet to the Western line of said 10.10 acre tract; thence along the last named line South 15° 54' West 124.13 feet to the point of beginning.

Said sale will be made to satisfy the obligation secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in a certain Deed of Trust, executed by Pacific Cold Storage Company, a Corporation, through Wayne Jewell, its President, and Burton H. Brace, its Secretary, to Oakland Title Insurance and Guaranty Company, a California Corporation, as Trustee, for the benefit and security of Chester E. Jones and Helen V. Jones, his wife, as joint tenants with the right of survivorship, as Beneficiaries, dated January 23, 1946, and recorded January 24, 1946, in Liber 4824 of Official Records, at Page 222, in the Office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice of Default and Election to Sell Under Note and Deed of Trust and/or of breach of said obligation and election to sell said real property, identifying the Deed of Trust by stating the names of the Trustor, the Trustee, and the beneficiaries respectively and giving the date of recordation and the book and page number where the same is recorded, and containing a statement that a breach of the obligation for which such transfer in trust is security, has occurred, and setting forth the nature of such breach and of beneficiaries' election to sell or cause to be sold such property to satisfy the obligation, was recorded on August 22, 1947, in Liber 5201, of Official Records, at Page 228, in the Office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda, State of California; and immediately thereupon, copies of such notice were mailed, postage prepaid, to each person who requested special notice under Section 2924(b), California Civil Code.

A Substitution of Trustee and Conveyance to New Trustee, appointing the undersigned, J. Jeff. Cowen, Jr., in the place and stead of Oakland Title Insurance and Guaranty Company, a California Corporation as Trustee, under and in said deed of Trust, dated March 13th, 1946, was recorded on March 17, 1948, Recorder's Series No. AC22257, in the Office of the County Recorder of said County of Alameda, State of California.

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Dated: April 8, 1948.
IDA FOLLONI
Administratrix of the Estate of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA,
Attorney for said Administratrix,
Ellsworth Building,
Niles, California. A9-16-23-30

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 102570 Dept. 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of JENNIE BRUNELLI, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: March 24, 1948.
ROMEO BRUNELLI
Administrator of the Estate of the above named decedent.
E. A. QUARESMA,
Attorney for said Administrator,
Ellsworth Building,
Niles, California. M26A2-9-16

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 102606 Dept. 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Undersigned, JOHN L. KELLERMAN, Administrator of the estate of FRED G. PHIPPEN, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the office of NORRIS & BROWN, Centerville, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated at Centerville, California, March 23, 1948.
JOHN L. KELLERMAN,
Administrator of the estate of FRED G. PHIPPEN.
NORRIS & BROWN,
Attorneys for Administrator,
Centerville, California.
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The full name and places of residence of all the members of said partnership are as follows:

JOHN L. BERCHEM, Niles, California.
JULIUS A. BERCHEM, Niles, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this 19th day of March, 1948.
JOHN L. BERCHEM
JULIUS A. BERCHEM

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, ss.
On this 19th day of March in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and forty-eight, before me, E. A. QUARESMA, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared JOHN L. BERCHEM and JULIUS A. BERCHEM, known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. A. QUARESMA
Notary Public in and for said County of Alameda, State of California. M26A2-9-16-23

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR ONE MEMBER OF THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE NILES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given to the Electors of the Niles Elementary School District of Alameda County, California, that the Annual Election for members of the Board of Trustees of the Niles Elementary School District will be held on the third Friday of May, viz, May 21, 1948.

It will be necessary to elect one member.

The polling place for said electors of the Niles Elementary School District will be at the Niles Elementary School in the Niles Elementary School District.

The polls will be open between the hours of 12 o'clock A.M. and 7 o'clock P.M.

The officers appointed to conduct the election in the above named Elementary School District are:

Emma Alves, Inspector.
Mary Solon, Judge.
Mae Geib, Judge.
(Signed) J. J. ALBERG, Clerk.
M19-26A2

have served long and well retire from school activities.

A MYSTERY

From where I sit I see two men who seem to be surveying or at least looking intently on the terra firma for something, but we do not know what. Perhaps next week we can ferret out the reason, especially since our Mayor??? is with them and if any one finds out anything the Mayor will.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 102570 Dept. 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of JENNIE BRUNELLI, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: March 24, 1948.
ROMEO BRUNELLI
Administrator of the Estate of the above named decedent.
E. A. QUARESMA,
Attorney for said Administrator,
Ellsworth Building,
Niles, California. M26A2-9-16

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
No. 102606 Dept. 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the Undersigned, JOHN L. KELLERMAN, Administrator of the estate of FRED G. PHIPPEN, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent to, within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the office of NORRIS & BROWN, Centerville, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated at Centerville, California, March 23, 1948.
JOHN L. KELLERMAN,
Administrator of the estate of FRED G. PHIPPEN.
NORRIS & BROWN,
Attorneys for Administrator,
Centerville, California.
First Publication: March 26, 1948.
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**CERTIFICATE OF
CO-PARTNERS
DOING BUSINESS UNDER
FICTITIOUS NAMES**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned are partners transacting business in the State of California under two fictitious names and styles, to-wit:

"QUALITY MEAT MARKET" having our principal place of business for conducting of said business at 529 Main Street, Niles, Alameda County, California; and "BERCHEM'S MEAT COMPANY" having our principal place of business for conducting of said business on the Mowry School Road, Newark, Alameda County, California.

The full name and places of residence of all the members of said partnership are as follows:

JOHN L. BERCHEM, Niles, California.
JULIUS A. BERCHEM, Niles, California.

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The FARMERS CORNER

by RALPH H. TAYLOR

Executive Secretary Agricultural Council of California

Next to respect for human rights, respect for property rights must remain inviolate in any democratically organized society.

We have proof—overwhelming and stark proof—of the degeneration of nations whose people are deluded by Pied Piper leadership into surrendering their personal liberties, and their sovereign rights, in exchange for the "benevolence" of supergovernment.

America is strong and in a position of world eminence today because her foundations were built on the broad assumption that the people are the masters and the state the servant. Any theory of government, whether Fascist or Communist or Socialist, which repudiates this basic concept cannot long escape the suffocating blight of the totalitarian or police state. It is because the vast majority of Americans will never tolerate the usurpation by government of their rights as human beings, including the right to have and to hold property in their own name, that today this nation stands as one of the very few remaining democracies in a world where liberty is diminishing with each new ideological conquest.

This writer has always endeavored to keep his readers informed of any new attempt by government

theorists to impose dangerous economic or political concepts upon the people of California and of the nation.

At this very moment the Federal Government is actively attempting to justify, in defiance of basic constitutional guarantees, a theory born of New Dealism which, if it is not exploded, can well become the starting point of supergovernment in the United States.

The theory involves the radical view, widely held in some quarters in Washington, that the Federal Government has the right to seize without compensation any private or state-owned lands and the resources upon them which the government considers it needs for national defense or national planning purposes.

There are two points of attack in the government's attempt to convert this theory into reality, and California happens to be the immediate target of both. The first objective involves the present attempt by the Department of Justice to justify the seizure of California's tidelands. The second, stemming directly from the same type of thinking that produced the tidelands grab, was disclosed at Sacramento recently with the opening of the first Budget Session of the Legislature.

It involves the discovery by the Assembly Interim Committee on Water Pollution that the U. S. Reclamation Bureau is getting ready to claim sovereignty over California's underground water supplies, and to tap them for general distribution in disregard of riparian rights.

Fortunately, both the tidelands pre-emption and the projected underground water seizure are being attacked vigorously—and, it is hoped, successfully—by the state of California.

In Washington, this attack is being spearheaded by California with the support of all 48 states who find themselves on common ground opposing a common foe—the foe of supergovernment.

Through Governor Earl Warren and Attorney General Howser, the state is urging upon Congress the passage of legislation that will repudiate the tidelands grab—a grab based upon the theory that Uncle Sam can help himself to private property anywhere if it contains mineral or natural resources "needed" by the Federal Government, without paying a dime to its rightful owners.

In Sacramento, the attack has taken the form of a bill intro-

duced by Assemblyman Dickey, which would, in effect, extend riparian rights to include underground water supplies, and thus prevent the Bureau of Reclamation from taking water from beneath one man's land and selling it to another man miles away.

It may seem incredible to some readers that the Federal Government would have the audacity to claim private property as its own without regard to compensation of its rightful owners.

But that clear interpretation of the government's purpose in pressings its tidelands-seizure program is shared not only by public officials of California, but by the Attorney Generals of every state in the Union who have banded together to aid this state in its battle with Washington. And it is not denied by Washington bureaucrats themselves.

ASK ARMY STUDY OF REBER PLAN

Rep. Jack Z. Anderson, San Juan Bautista, has introduced a resolution in Congress calling for an Army Engineer's study of the Reber Plan for San Francisco Bay.

CENTERVILLE CUBS RECEIVE AWARDS

The Centerville Cub Scouts held an Achievement Night on Monday evening in the Centerville Elementary School auditorium with the Cubs, their parents and their friends enjoying games, contests and motion pictures.

The announcement was made by Cubmaster Carl Nordvik that a new den is to be started with Mrs. Warren Gravestock and Mrs. Nick Lewis acting as den mothers. Other Cub leaders are: Allan Walton, chairman; Richard Mendonca, secretary; George Roderick, treasurer; Tom Maloney, advancement; Manuel Silveira, assistant cubmaster; Nick Lewis, den dad; Mrs. Allen G. Norris, Mrs. Allan Walton and Mrs. Jack Kleine, den mothers.

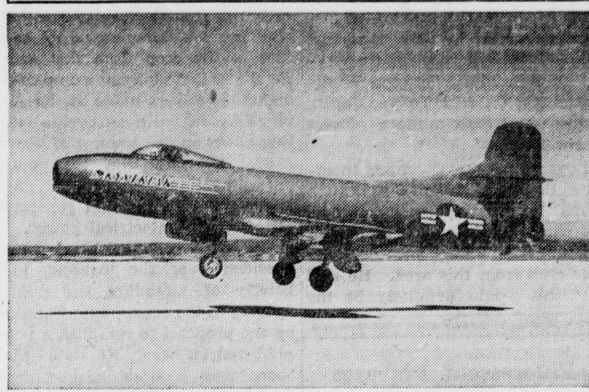
Awards made at the program Monday were as follows:

Wolf badge and pin: Roger Alberts, Kenny Vieira, Stephen Bauldry.

Bear badge and pin: Vincent Damico, Herman Bettencourt, Lee Facey, Don Gravestock, Leo Gonsalves.

Lion badge and pin: Tommie Kleine.

SKYSTREAKS TO RECORD



The Navy captured the world's speed record in August, 1947, and, five days later, broke it with the jet-propelled "Skystreak," shown above. Piloted by Comdr. Turner E. Caldwell, Jr., USN, the plane flew 640.7 miles per hour in the first test at Muroc Field, Calif. Within a week Maj. Marion Carl, USMC, set a new mark of 650.6 miles per hour in the same plane. (Official U. S. Navy Photograph)

Gold and silver arrows: Roger Alberts, Kenny Vieira, Donald Gravestock, Lee Facey, Tommy Kleine, and David Amaral.

Service pin: Tommie Kleine.

Denner's stripes: Frank Horat.

Assistant denner's stripes: Leon Gonsalves.

Less than twenty species of catfishes are known in the entire Mississippi River basin.

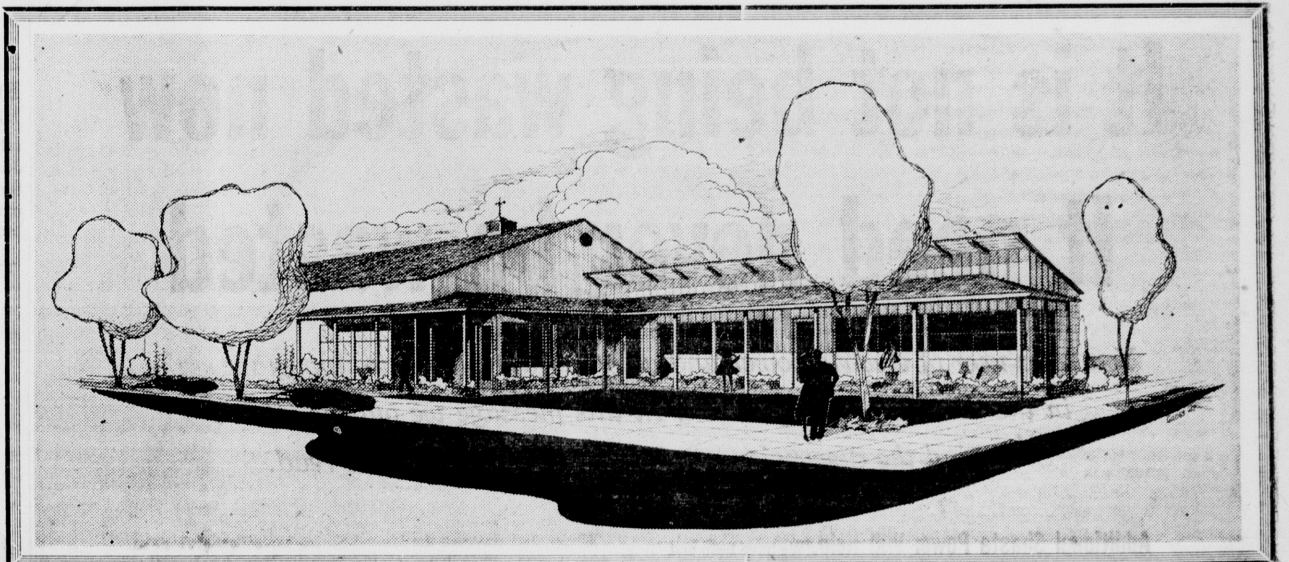
NEWARK WOMAN WINS RADIO PRIZE

Mrs. Ray Alberts, Newark, was credited on the network radio program, "Noah Webster Says," with submitting a winning group of questions, during the broadcast of the program last Thursday evening. Mrs. Alberts' questions, based on April Fool's Day topics, were very humorous and proved highly entertaining to the studio and radio audience. She received an award of \$5 for having her list accepted.



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GUEST SPEAKERS AT CHAMBER MEETING

Two guests, Robert Brennan, pilot for Northwest Airlines, and Andy Logan, field superintendent for the Holly Sugar Corporation, made short talks to the members of the Centerville Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon meeting held Wednesday at the California Inn.

Brennan, former resident of Centerville, was a navy pilot dur-

ing the war, and is now a captain for the airline company. He told the group of the network of airlines operated by the company, revealing that a "diplomatic service" is maintained between Washington, D. C., and Tokyo, Japan, transporting high military officers and diplomats.

Logan told the Chamber members that the Holly Corporation plans two "campaigns" of beet processing of the spring crop from the Imperial Valley and the summer crop from this area. He said that this would definitely be the

last year that the Alvarado plant would process the beets from the valley, a new plant near Brawley, now nearing completion, to take care of the crop from that area. He added that many new improvements have been made at the Alvarado plant with an eye to cutting down on the amount of water used. He said that the power curtailment program would not affect them as the plant generates all of its own electrical power.

President Allan Walton, who presided over the meeting, told briefly of attending the public hearing in the court house Tuesday on the proposal to establish a hospital district here. He stated that there was a sizeable delegation present from the township, and but one protest made to the plan.

Boys of the Senior class of Washington Union High School are planning an all-day visit to Fort Ord on Monday, at which time they will be escorted through the army base and shown the many interesting sights. They will be accompanied by Coach Irving Hird. The group will leave the high school here at 8 a. m. and will return about 7 p. m.

I HEAR TELL IN NEWARK

By THELMA McNIEVE



Thelma McNieve, a member of the local band consists of special arrangements in a smooth modern manner. The group has played many engagements in the Hayward area recently. This Saturday evening they will again be heard with their "music that is different" at the Newark Pavilion when they play for the annual De Guadalupe Y.L.I. dance.

HOUSEGUESTS

Friday to Monday houseguests at the Val Lotti home were Mr.

and Mrs. Leonard Valenzuela of Santa Maria.

DINNER GUESTS

A delicious chicken dinner was enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Tony Freitas and son, Ernie, of Oakland, at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Freitas, Thornton avenue.

RADIO WINNER

A surprise package is truly the most interesting of all, and so Mrs. Elsie Presley would tell you, when on Tuesday she was the recipient of a small table radio won as a result of a jingle she sent in to a radio contest. Having sent in two jingles she was at a loss as to which one did the trick. In the past, Mrs. Presley has won three times from different radio programs. Good jingling, Elsie.

NEWLYWEDS RETURN

Newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mendes, whose recent marriage took place on Easter Sunday, returned home this week-end from a honeymoon trip to Carmel. They are making their home with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Caldeira, Mulberry street, parents of the bride.

CANCER DRIVE OPENS

The Cancer Drive is now on in our community. Let's all give—give so that others may live. What greater known joy could we have done than give back a father his son. Be it dime or dollar that you can afford, give—and be blessed by the Lord.

2500 SEATS SOLD FOR 'OKLAHOMA'

The ticket sale for "Oklahoma," scheduled for the auditorium, San Jose, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 6, 7 and 8, with a matinee on Saturday, opens next Monday morning, April 12. Al-

HINTS FOR HOMEMAKERS

HOW TO EAT WELL FOR LESS MONEY

by the
HOMEMAKING SPECIALISTS
of the
General Electric Consumers Institute

To provide the family with good, nourishing meals and still keep within the budget is becoming more of a problem every day. To meet this problem the home-



making specialists of the General Electric Consumers Institute suggest the following one-dish meals, to be served with fruit or tossed

green salad, a simple dessert and coffee. If you're a canny shopper, each recipe costs under \$1.30 to make* (with the exception of the lamb stew, which is slightly higher, but in which you can use your leftover vegetables) and serves six people generously.

Sauerkraut with Meat Balls

Tested in the G.E. Consumers Institute

2 medium onions 2 tsp. chopped parsley
1 lb. ground beef 2 tsp. fat or salad oil
1 No. 2 1/2 can (3 1/2 cups) sauerkraut
1/2 cup fine dry bread crumbs 1 cup cooked or canned tomatoes
Chop 1 onion and garlic. Mix with beef, veal, bread crumbs and parsley. Shape into balls; sauté in fat or salad oil. Chop remaining onion; mix with sauerkraut and tomatoes. Add to meat. Cover. Simmer 1 1/2 hours. Makes 6 servings.
This is delicious served with green beans or tossed green salad, baked apples and plenty of hot coffee.

New England Fish Chowder

Tested in the G.E. Consumers

ready over 2500 mail orders have been received for the record breaker nations musical sensation.

"Oklahoma" comes direct from the Curran Theater, San Francisco, where it will have played for eight sold-out weeks. This is the Theatre Guild's National Touring Company of "Oklahoma," the other two companies being the New York original company, now five years old, and the "baby" London Company, one year old. The company

1/2 lb. salt pork 4 tsp. salt
medium onions 1/2 tsp. pepper
1 1/2 lbs. fresh or frozen cod or haddock fillets 3 cups boiling water
5 medium potatoes 1 cup evaporated milk
Cut salt pork into 1/2 inch pieces; brown in large pan. Slice onions; add to salt pork and cook until tender. Cut fish in medium uniform pieces; add. Slice potatoes; add with salt, pepper and water. Cover; simmer 25 minutes or until potatoes are done. Add milk and evaporated milk; heat. Makes 6 servings.
Yankee favorites with chowder are hot corn bread, a fresh fruit plate and hot tea or coffee.

Beef Roulades with Vegetables

Tested in the G.E. Consumers Institute

1 1/2 lbs. round steak 1/2 tsp. caraway seeds
1/2 cup minced onion 2 tsp. fat or salad oil
1/2 cup minced bacon 1 cup tomatoes
1/2 cup bread crumbs 6 large potatoes
1 tsp. salt 2 tsp. salt
2 tbsp. chopped parsley 1 1/2 cups water
Cut steak into 6 pieces about 3 inches square. Combine onion, bacon, bread crumbs, salt, parsley and caraway seeds; mix thoroughly. Spread mixture on each piece of steak. Roll up; tie firmly. Dredge in flour. Brown rolls on all sides in fat or salad oil. Add potatoes, carrots and water. Cover. Cook 45 minutes. Makes 6 servings.
Try this with apple and cabbage salad, cheese and crackers, and coffee.

Lamb Stew with Assorted Vegetables

Tested in the G.E. Consumers Institute

1 1/2 lbs. lamb shoulder 6 small carrots
1/2 cup flour 6 small onions
1/2 cup fat 1 No. 2 can (2 1/2 cups) tomatoes
1 tsp. fat or salad oil 1 cup green Lima beans
1 cup water 6 slices green pepper
6 medium-sized potatoes 2 tsp. salt
1 stalk celery 1/2 tsp. pepper
1 small head cauliflower 1/2 bayleaf
flower

Cut lamb shoulder in 2-inch cubes; dredge with flour. Sauté in fat or salad oil until well browned. Add water. Cover; cook 1 hour. (Add more water, if needed.) Halve potatoes; cut celery in 2-inch pieces; separate cauliflower into flowerettes. Add potatoes, celery, cauliflower, carrots, onions, tomatoes, Lima beans, green peppers, salt, pepper and bayleaf. Cover; cook 30 to 40 minutes, or until tender. Makes 6 servings.
Served with hot biscuits, fruit and coffee, this is a hearty and delicious meal to come home to.

*Prices were compiled during the first week in April, and vary somewhat throughout the month.

Shasta Power

It is not being wasted now

It need never be wasted

You, as a user of electric power and as a taxpayer, have an important stake in the Shasta power question. In this message we outline what's behind the discussion—and offer the facts for all to read.

Additional Shasta Power Will Help. We have been and are doing all we can to correct the power shortage. Power from every possible source, in this drought year, must be distributed to northern and central California. Shasta is expected to provide about 75,000 additional kilowatts April 15, when a new generator comes into service. There'll be a like amount later on. Our total demands run about 2,000,000 kilowatts. Shasta will help—every bit of power counts—but Shasta power alone won't solve the problem.

Shasta Power Now Being Used. No Shasta power is going to waste now. It's being fed onto our lines and is being used along with power from about 75 other sources. It has been used since June 26, 1944, under a contract between P. G. and E. and the Bureau of Reclamation—a Federal government agency.

What's the Problem? Actually, there shouldn't be any problem... but there is. The Bureau doesn't want to extend the contract to cover the new Shasta power, even for the balance of this year. Instead, the Bureau has reluctantly agreed to put the additional power on our lines during the emergency on a day to day basis. We have agreed to take it that way—this assures no waste of Shasta Power during the emergency—but leaves the long-range disposition of the power unsettled.

Why Is There a Contract Dispute? It started back in 1941. When Shasta construction began we offered to supply a market for Shasta power and offered to coordinate our operations with those of the Bureau at Shasta and Keswick (another unit of the Central Valley Project). At that time the Bureau demanded that we "convey" Shasta power over our lines to enable them to sell it to various public agencies. It is not physically possible to do this, but in any event we couldn't agree to such a demand. These agencies were and are our customers and are being served under rates established or approved by the California Public Utilities Commission. Such a demand, were it carried out, would amount to virtual confiscation of a good part of our business. An agreement on our part would be just as foolish as for a milk company to agree to furnish their trucks and delivery men to someone else—who would begin delivering their own milk to the milk company's customers.

War-time Contract Signed in 1943. Congress finally took a hand. In 1942 the Senate Appropriations Committee recommended that the Secretary of the Interior and P. G. and E. "immediately enter into a contract, for the duration of the war and a reasonable time thereafter."

The Bureau then agreed to a contract—without the "conveyance" clause. That contract was signed in 1943 and is still in force. It will be until the end of this year.

Under that contract the United States has collected from us more than 11 million dollars for Shasta power. But the contract is running out—a permanent contract should take its place.

Bureau Won't Agree. The Bureau has gone back to its original demand, first laid down in 1941. P. G. and E., they insist, must "convey" power for them for delivery to a long list of federal, state and local agencies, now P. G. and E. customers.

Practically all the other points in a new contract are agreeable to both parties. But with this one we disagree.

Bureau's Demand Puts Burden on Public. Last year the customers which the Bureau could take from us used more than a billion kilowatt hours of power. That's about one-eighth of our total power demand. Here's what that means to you:

Under the direction of the Public Utilities Commission, our low rates have been carefully adjusted to cover costs of a complex system of generating and distributing power... to all the people in our area. Should special privileges—at the expense of the taxpayers—be granted to those who use one-eighth of our power, the others who use the seven-eighths would naturally have to make up the difference. We don't want the public to be thus penalized.

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Transmission Lines Available. P. G. and E. transmission lines are ready at our Shasta substation to take the output of the generators to come into service this month and in July. Before another month passes we will have still another transmission line south from Shasta substation. With that line in operation all the power to be produced at Shasta and Keswick Dams can be distributed over northern and central California.

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2 cups Holly Sugar 1/4 tsp. salt
1/2 cup water 1 tsp. vanilla
1/2 cup light corn syrup 1 cup coarsely chopped walnuts
2 egg whites

Combine sugar, water and syrup in saucepan; stir until sugar is completely dissolved. Cook rapidly with amount stirring to 238° F. or until small amount dropped in cold water forms a soft ball. Beat egg whites and salt until stiff and dry. Very slowly pour one-third of sugar-syrup over egg whites while beating constantly with wooden spoon or electric beater. Cook remaining sugar-syrup rapidly with amount stirring to 270° F. or until small amount dropped in cold water forms first mixture, beating constantly; add flavoring; continue to beat till thick and creamy. Add walnuts and pour into buttered pan. Cool. Cut in squares. Yield: about 1 1/4 lbs.

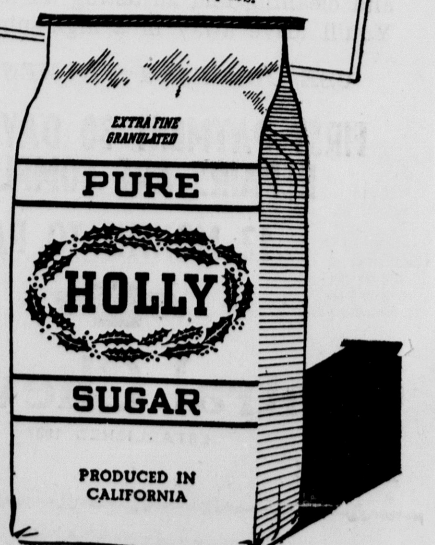
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Extra dollars kept at home help make your own living better. So don't accept just any sugar. Insist on getting HOLLY!



Featured at your grocer's now....



As full of suspense as any popular "whodunit" mystery, is the interesting mystery being enacted by the Niles School Board of Trustees.

For instance: IS THERE ANYTHING WRONG WITH THE FOLLOWING MEN?:

Tom Robbins
Dr. W. F. Lamoreux
Willard Rosenquist
Robert Moore
Dr. E. M. Grimmer Jr.

All of these men have been turned down by the board of trustees as a replacement for the position occupied by the late Joe Gomes. WHY? They are all highly respected citizens. One, it is true (Bob Moore), because of

the nature of his position would be unable to accept. The others would be willing to serve, however. They are all fathers of young children, all interested in youth welfare, and all qualified, from the vantage point of being young fathers, of having more than the ordinary interest in school doings.

Vaughn Seidel, county superintendent of schools, was approached by a group of mothers recently in regard to the vacancy on the school board. They stated that they were highly concerned over the filling of this vacancy, hoping it would fall upon someone young and someone with young children—an injection of "new blood" so to speak.

The mothers left Mr. Seidel's office with the advice from him to seek further meetings with the school trustees to see if they and the mothers couldn't come to an amicable agreement. The mothers were willing. Even willing to offer new names as a compromise. The trustees, however, signified that they had no desire for any further meetings with the mothers.

"We will wait," they said unequivocally, "until election time. We will not try to fill the vacancy."

WHY? Is there pressure being exerted? And by whom?

As I said in the beginning, the situation is more baffling than any whodunit.

Well, the Township Register Spelling Bee is all over. And a highly successful affair it was, too. Much credit for the success goes to Jud Taylor, of the faculty of Washington High, for doing such an outstanding job of being moderator. Mr. Taylor seems to know the secret of handling crowds, of keeping interest alive where it might otherwise sag, and of putting people on the stage at their ease.

That is a talent that many wish they had.

I wouldn't be strictly honest if I said I contemplated that \$22 in prize money we were giving away with anything but longing. "There," I thought sadly, "goes my new spring outfit."

But that was before the contest. When the time arrived for the lucky young winners to receive their cash prizes I had naught but feelings of pride in these young people who so earnestly spelled word after word, obviously intent on making every effort to win. The public is usually exposed to that will-to-win in the young only in athletic contests. It is good to see it also in academic lines. They richly deserved their cash awards—and to heck with a new spring hat!

IN OKLAHOMA

Speaking of spelling bees, the printer on The Township Register was telling us that his brother, back in his grammar school days, won the Oklahoma state spelling contest. The newspapers wanted his picture. After looking over the family album, however, the reporters chose, not the picture of the young winner, but a picture of his brother—our printer!

It was because, they said, he "looked better!"

ROOM SERVICE

Many humorous situations have occurred in the Niles library during the many years that Mrs. Emma Murray has been librarian. Perhaps the funniest of these is a little incident that happened seven or eight years ago.

A drunk came into the library, looked about him with a well-pleased expression and said, weaving up towards Mrs. Murray's desk, "Nish li' hotel ya got here, lady. I'll take a room."

He was politely but firmly told that the Niles Library reading-room was not a hotel lobby, and that absolutely no rooms were available.

The drunk argued the point. "Look, sister," he said, "I like this place. Looks com'frble. I wanna a room, see?"

At this point one of the gentleman readers in the library got up, took the drunk by the arm and propelled him towards the door.

The whole library seemed to sigh in relief once the door had closed upon him. Ten minutes later, however, there he was again. "Thish a nish hotel," he said quaveringly. "I'm gonna take a room here."

This time Mrs. Murray was alone in the library. In her usual calm manner she managed to convince him once again that the library was no hotel. It took a deal of persuasion, however, and this time the ordeal left her a trifle exhausted.

Twenty minutes went by. The library door opened. Mrs. Murray looked up to greet the newcomer, but her smile quickly froze. It was the drunk again!

He staggered up toward her, regarded her a few seconds with eyes that tried to focus themselves upon her, then, "Blast it, woman!"—the drunk spat the words out in disgust—"Are you in every damn building in town?"

Several people, in commenting on the Niles zoning meeting Wednesday night, said that they were shocked at the violence of some of our citizens.

It was rather a shock to me, too. It's anyone's privilege to feel one way or another about zoning—even though the county planning engineer said it would have to come sooner or later anyhow—but some of our townspeople became so

emotionally wrought up that they ceased to be ladies and gentlemen. The greediness evidenced, the "all-for-me and who-cares-about-the-other-fellow spirit, was a distinct revelation.

Then, of course, there were the hecklers. But hecklers are always stupid people and never get anywhere anyhow, so they are not to be considered. Hecklers have a way of defeating their own purposes.

REBEKAH NEWS

The card party sponsored by the members of Niles Rebekah Lodge No. 336, I.O.O.F., at Odd Fellows Hall, Irvington, last Friday evening, was well attended. Many thanks are due to the merchants of Washington Township for their help, and Chairman Mrs. Anna Bradford also wishes to thank all members and friends who also aided in the party's success.

The next meeting of the lodge will be held Friday evening, April 16, at Odd Fellows Hall, Irvington. The business meeting will start promptly at 8 p.m. Mrs. Nina Bartholemew, district deputy president of District 53, will pay the lodge an official visit.

Livermore Rebekah Lodge will also visit the Niles lodge that evening, bringing with them the "traveling gavel." The social hour will be under the direction of Mrs. Fern Mitte and her committee.

Mrs. Anna Bradford, incoming district deputy president for District 53, accompanied by Mrs. Ivy Cull, Mrs. Olive Pugmire and Mrs. Fern Mitte, will attend the special session of the Rebekah Assembly of California Friday, April 9, at Berkeley.

Mrs. Ethel Garner of Hayward Rebekah Lodge and Mrs. Ivy Cull of Niles Rebekah Lodge attended the special session of the Rebekah Assembly and school of instruction presided over by Mrs. Florence Bonetto, president of the Rebekah Assembly, at Stockton, on April 6.

The members of Friendly Sewing Circle will meet Monday afternoon, April 12, at Odd Fellows Hall, Irvington, according to Gertrude Davis, president. Luncheon will be served at 1 p.m. by Edna Hesscher and Ivy Cull.

115 YEAR OLD PAPER IN REGISTER OFFICE

SLAVES, HUSBAND BEATERS, MAKE NEWS

One of the most interesting bits of Americana seen by the editors for a long while found its way into our office this week.

It's a copy of the "New York Sun," a daily newspaper, dated September 3, 1833.

Bob Halpin, a resident of the Masonic Home in Decoto, whose career dates back to colorful days as a vaudeville actor on Broadway, is the owner of the paper.

Regretting that all our readers can't see it first hand, we are quoting a few excerpts from its four sheets of fascinating reading. Here is a story headed:

MELANCHOLY SUICIDE

A Mr. Fred A. Hall, a young gentleman from Boston, who had been a boarder at Webb's Congress Hall, for a week or ten days previous, put an end to his life on Sunday last by taking audanum. Late in the afternoon Mr. Webb, having occasion to go into his room, found the door locked on the inside; but hearing a noise as of a person in distress, after knocking and calling several times without any answer, he burst open the door and found him apparently dying. Physicians were immediately called and the stomach pump applied but without success. He soon after expired. He was to have sailed yesterday morning for Sumatra, as supercargo of a vessel belonging to a wealthy firm in Boston, one of the members of which was his father. He is supposed to have committed this rash act in a fit of temporary derangement occasioned by an affair of the heart in which his happiness was deeply involved. He was about 24 years of age, of engaging manners, and amiable disposition, and one whose loss even under less affecting circumstances would have been deeply lamented.

And here's another interesting item:

MURDER AND ROBBERY

Near Charlottesville, Va., last Sunday week, Mr. Peter U. Ware, a worthy and unoffending citizen, was barbarously murdered, and then robbed of his watch and pocketbook by two negro slaves; both of whom have been arrested and committed to prison.

Perhaps the most interesting item tells about the ship "Constitution" being cleared in the port of New York.

The most intriguing reading of all, however, comes under the happenings in what was termed "The Police Office".

Harriet Schultz, charged with committing a violent assault on the person of Henry Shultz, one of her husbands, who appeared against her as complainant; he stated that his wife was generally pretty clever

to him, but, by some means or other, she was more ill-natured than usual last night, and took occasion to give him something of a flogging—he stood on the defensive when his wife made the attack, but finding himself unable to cope with her in the matrimonial combat, he bawled "murder," which brought a watchman to his assistance. The injured husband, with the assistance of the watchman, succeeded in capturing his tyrannical rib, and brought her, a prisoner, to the watch-house. On their promise to live together peacefully for the future, they were discharged.

Well—"one of her husbands." Apparently bigamy was in perfect order in those days.

Here's another from the police office:

John McMan, brought up for whipping Juda McMan, his darling wife—his excuse was that his head was rather thick, in consequence of taking a wee drop of whiskey. Not being able to find bail he was accommodated with a room in bridewell.

The word "bridewell" appears frequently in this paper when referring to a prison. Does anyone know the derivation of the word?

And yet another from the police office:

Alfred Parker, brought up for entering the victualling house of a black man near Fulton Market, and upsetting a table of pies, pickled lobsters and peaches. He settled the dispute by paying the complainant two dollars.

Two dollars! You could scarcely buy ONE lobster for that now. And here's more trouble from the police office:

John Parish, brought up for exercising the muscles of his right arm by pounding John Nixon on the head with his fist. Mr. Nixon not appearing against him, he was discharged.

Would Mr. Nixon dare appear against him?

And so runs this interesting little paper, telling us more than any history book of life of our American forbears 115 years ago.

I.D.E.S. BENEFIT

Council No. 1, I.D.E.S., Mission San Jose, has completed plans for a benefit whist party to be held the evening of April 16 at the hall with the public invited to attend.

Proceeds of the event will be used in repairing the building and purchasing some necessary fixtures. Walter Connolly, chairman of the building committee, said this week that it had been voted to extend the use of the building to the newly formed Mission Youth Group, as a regular meeting hall.

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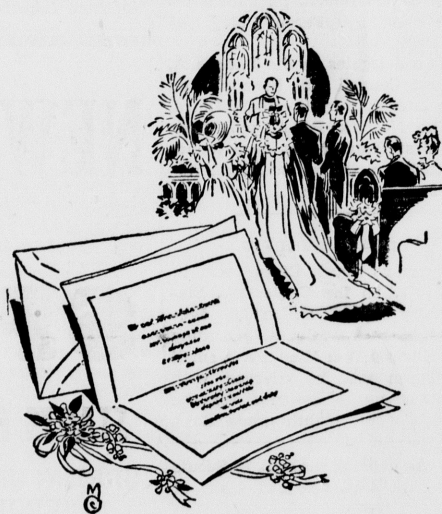
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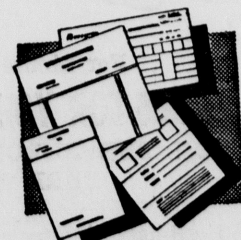
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By FLORENCE MEDEROS

HOUSEWARMING

A bit of late but still interesting news was the housewarming given to Mr. and Mrs. John Navas and son, Tommy, on March 27, the occasion being their moving to their new home on Third street. The housewarming was given by all the Navas family with about 100 guests attending. Mrs. Navas didn't have to prepare a thing because sandwiches, salads, refreshments, and cake were all brought by the visitors. Everyone reported having a wonderful time and the couple received many nice gifts.

POSTPONES TRIP

Eloyio Garcia, who is employed at New Colma Mill and Lumber Company, had planned to leave last week for Mexico but has postponed the trip for the time being.

ENGAGEMENT REVEALED

Harold Torquada surprised his friends here this week with the announcement that he was engaged to Miss Mary Perez of Niles. Both Harold and Mary attended the Washington Union High School. He is now employed at the Sanchez Brothers Wholesale Produce. The couple were engaged on Easter Sunday but still have not set the wedding date.

RETURN HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Avilla, former residents here, have returned to Decoto to make their home. They are residing in the Montes Tract. He is in the trucking business.

UNDERGOES SURGERY

A minor operation caused Frank Sanchez to take life easy for a few days during the past week but he is recovering rapidly and will be working again soon.

VISIT RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Garcia, Dickie and Rachael, who now live at Chico, visited here over the weekend. They stayed over Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Garcia and family. They also visited Mrs. Garcia's folks at Hayward.

ward before leaving for home Sunday.

NEW HOME

A beautiful ranch-type home is being constructed at the corner of Sixth and G streets by Contractor Thomas Yeandle of Hayward for Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gonsalves and daughters. The Gonsalves are now residing with her mother but plan to be in their new home in the near future.

ENJOYABLE DAY

First a lovely wedding, then an enjoyable reception, is the way Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Hidalgo, Patsy and Bobbie, Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Rodriguez and Alfonso Jr., Mrs. Paniagua, Mary, Tom and Alvin, spent last Sunday. The wedding was held at Servants Hall and before the bride and groom departed they cut their beautiful cake and everyone enjoyed eating a piece of it. The remainder of the reception was spent dancing.

LEAVE TODAY

Would you like to visit Hawaii? If so, just talk to Mr. and Mrs. Tony Bolivia and daughter, Frances, and they will give you a tip on how to get there, because they are Hawaii bound on April 9 by boat. The couple have four other children but the only one who is making the trip with them is Frances, because she was born in Hawaii, but came to California while just a baby and has never seen the islands since. Mrs. Bolivia's mother, Mrs. Frates, is awaiting their arrival. They don't know how long their visit will be. Good luck and bon voyage from all.

ENJOY SPORT

Bowling is a very interesting sport, especially when you can make a high score, so says Frank Scorpiniti, our new shoemaker. Last Sunday he went to the Hayward Bowling Alley with Renaldo Caminado, Rudolpho Caminado, Lidia Caminado and Sam Amodeo. They intend to continue this sport.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Escalona and twins, Anthony and Gerald, enjoyed a birthday party at Irvington on April 4, honoring Mrs. Annie Moore, a former Decoto girl. She received many lovely gifts. A beautiful birthday cake, sandwiches and refreshments were served later in the evening to the many guests present.

MOVE TO HAYWARD

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fowler and daughter moved from Decoto and

VETERAN'S QUIZ

on PUBLIC LAW 16

Q. Do disabled veterans receive special Federal rehabilitation assistance?

A. Yes. They are eligible for all benefits their non disabled buddies are, plus additional subsistence allowances, training and job placement assistance, medical care, and other aids.

Q. What are the conditions for eligibility?

A. He must have a discharge other than dishonorable for wartime service, a compensable service-connected disability, and be determined to be in need of training to overcome the handicap of his disability.

Q. What is the maximum length of training under this program?

A. Usually the maximum is 4 years.

Q. What happens if the disabled veteran, through no fault of his own, fails in the course first selected?

A. Generally, VA will take special steps to enter him in another course which he is more likely to complete successfully.

Q. What is vocational advisement and why is it required under this program?

A. Designed to assist the disabled veteran to discover his capabilities, it enables the VA to help him to find the type of training and the particular job in which, taking his disability into account, he is most likely to be rehabilitated.

For complete information contact your nearest Veterans Administration office.

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FORM NEW P.T.A. AT NEWARK SCHOOL

A Parent-Teacher Association of the Newark Elementary School, first organization of its kind for the community, was instituted at a meeting held at the school last Thursday.

Representatives of the Phoebe A. Hearst Council were present to install the newly elected officers and read the by-laws for adoption. Named to head the new organization during its first year were: Mrs. W. E. Dutra, president; Mrs. Fred Melhase, first vice-president; J. I. MacGregor, second vice-president; Mrs. Bud Kettman, secretary; Mrs. Melba Olk, treasurer; Mrs. Earl Wilburn, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Feron Cole, historian.

Two delegates to the Phoebe A. Hearst Council will be appointed at a later date by President Dutra. The Newark P.T.A. will meet the first Thursday of each month at 3:30 p.m. in the school auditorium.

CLASS BENEFIT

Raymond Ray's Circus will be presented in the Centerville Elementary School on Friday evening, April 16, at 8 p.m., according to Principal Tom Maloney. A small admission will be charged with the receipts to be used for the benefit of the eighth grade class.

Monday evening. About 15 Scouts made the trip and had loads of fun.

VISITS PARENTS

Mrs. Florence Madeiros and son, Gary, spent a week's vacation with her folks, Mr. and Mrs. Don Garcia. The Garcia's son, Manuel, has also been staying with them because his wife is visiting her folks at Hollister.

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WASHINGTON HOSTS TO C.S.F. CONCLAVE

Three hundred and sixty-eight students and faculty members, representing 36 Central California high schools, attended an all-day conference of the California Scholarship Federation at Washington Union High School last Saturday.

The delegates were welcomed by J. V. Gould, district superintendent of W.U.H.S., and Diana Crossman, president of the local chapter. Thence began a series of conferences and discussions which lasted throughout most of the day. Luncheon was served at noon in the school cafeteria with Marvin Peixoto serving as toastmaster.

An inspiring address entitled, "No Time Like the Present," was delivered by Rev. Donald Kirkbride, pastor of the Niles Congregational Church, at the afternoon assembly in the auditorium. Following an election of officers the meeting was adjourned to the gymnasium for a social hour of dancing.

Y.L.I. BENEFIT DANCE AT NEWARK SATURDAY

The annual benefit dance for the De Guadalupe Institute, Y.L.I., of Niles, will be held Saturday evening at the Newark Pavilion. Music will be furnished by Frank Gygax and his band.

Mrs. Viola Dias, general chairman, has announced that dancing will begin at 9 p.m. Proceeds of the affair will go into the organization's charity fund.

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DE GUADALUPE WILL HAVE HOMECOMING PARTY

De Guadalupe Institute, Y.L.I., of Niles, has made plans for a homecoming party to be held at Boliba's Hall on April 15, honoring the charter members. It will also be a birthday celebration for the Institute.

The past presidents have charge of arrangements.

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STAGE ALL SET FOR TOYON GARDEN TOUR: THROGS EXPECTED AT TOWNSHIP FETE

With lush green hills as backdrop, and a blue sky overhead (they hope!) the stage is all set for the benefit Toyon Branch garden tour tomorrow (Saturday), with garden lovers not only from the township but from all over the bay area expected to take in the beauties of some of the township's loveliest gardens.

The gardens to be visited include those of the Myers home in Decoto, the Dominican Convent in Mission San Jose, The Starr and Best place in Mission San Jose, and the Gorman home in Niles. The tour will wind up at the California Nursery where tea will be

served at the Old Adobe, up until five o'clock.

The gardens will be open at 10 a.m., and tickets for the entire tour may be bought at any of the entrances to the gardens. They are on sale for \$1.25.

Assisting as hostesses in the different gardens are Mrs. Joseph Shinn Jr. at the Myers home; Mrs. Frank Fields and Miss Anita Gallegos at the Convent; Mrs. R. A. Sparrowe at the Best and Starr gardens; and Mrs. Carol at the Gorman home.

If Saturday should, by any chance, be a rainy day, the tour will be postponed until the following Saturday.

Stork Shower

Mrs. Lloyd Barks of Centerville was the honoree at a stork shower given for her recently by her mother, Mrs. Mae Mann. The guests included Pearl Hetherington, Lorraine James, Irene Bills, Annie Ferry, Marian Biale, Fay Von Seidletz, Dorothy Royal, Connie Welch, Martha Andrade, Marie Leon, Jena Barks, Zelma Reed, Mary Moran, and Margaret Bowers.

New Daughter

A second daughter, Christine Catherine Calcagno, was born in St. Mary's Hospital, San Francisco, on March 24 to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Calcagno, Irvington. The little miss weighed 7 pounds 7 1/2 ounces. She has a sister, Nancy, 2.

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In Hospital

Mrs. George Anderson of the Alvarado-Niles road was taken to the Peralta Hospital last Saturday to be put under observation and a series of tests in an attempt to find the cause of a partial paralysis, with which she was stricken a week ago Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Lang, her sister, arrived from Los Angeles this week to care for the four children. Mr. Anderson is employed at a salt company in Newark.

Recovering

Little eight-year-old Carol Bass of Irvington, stricken with rheumatic fever three months ago, is recovering nicely, according to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bass. Although the fever has gone, the little boy will still have to remain quiet for several months. He has a visiting teacher. Mr. and Mrs. Bass have three other children.

Like the Township

A retired Navy officer and former California senator from San Diego, Mr. William C. Wolfe, and his wife and child are presently living on the Fleming premises in Irvington. Hoping to find a home in the township, they nevertheless have recently become interested in Los Gatos. Better hurry, you township realtors!

Birthday Party for Five-Year-Old

An Easter egg hunt was the highlight at a birthday party given last Friday by Mrs. William Strong of Niles for her five-year-old daughter, Mary Margaret. After the hunt, the youngsters enjoyed an afternoon of games, all indoor games because of a drenching rain. The little guests invited included Gary King, Dennis McKenzie, Don Buehler, Kenny Jones, Grady Hudson, Bo Pierce, Bill Strong, Judy Stapleton, Pauline Dingacci, Darlene Cahill, Loretta Avilla, Barbara Jo Ferreira, Susan Tuana, Bobby Kaiser, Cliff Hudson, Vaughn Pugmire and Lee James.

Some of the mothers and other adult friends of the little boy who called during the afternoon to wish him many happy returns were Mrs. John McDonnell, Mary Regan, Maurice Stapleton, T. Tuana, John Cahill, Lyle Buehler, M. Duarte and E. Clark. The latter is Mary Margaret's grandmother.

Twins to Decoto Couple

Double bundles of joy were born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward R. Chavez of Decoto in Hayward Hospital on March 28. The twin sons, Edward James and Anthony Alfonso, weighing 6 pounds, 15 ounces, and 7 pounds, 10 ounces.

Flower Arranging Tour

Approximately 150 tickets are being put on sale in the township for the flower-arranging tour and tea to be held in San Jose next Tuesday by the Bellarmine School Mothers Guild. Four homes will be visited in the tour, with Mrs. W. L. McWhirter of Centerville in charge of the floral arrangements in all the homes.

Still in Hospital

Little Johnny Adams, ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Adams of Irvington, is still confined to the hospital in San Jose, recovering from serious burns incurred in a disastrous gasoline explosion two weeks ago. He received first, second, and third degree burns on his legs.

New Resident

A new resident in Irvington is little Barbara Ann Curtis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Frederick Curtis. The little miss was born in Community Service Hospital, San Jose, on March 18.

New Daughter

At home in Niles with their new daughter are Mr. and Mrs. Issias L. Garcia. The little lass, Susana, was born on March 18 at Community Service Hospital, San Jose.

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MRS. C. N. MYRICK SUCCEEDS MRS. BROWN AS PRESIDENT OF COUNTRY CLUB

Elected to succeed Mrs. Franklin Brown as president of the Country Club was Mrs. C. N. Myrick of Centerville who was nominated and elected at the regular meeting last Tuesday.

Other new officers are as follows:

Home from Hospital

Back home in Irvington after a stay at Community Service Hospital in San Jose are Mrs. Frank Joseph Wipeli and new daughter, Patricia Ann, born March 19.

Move to Alvarado

Mr. and Mrs. John Kallu, who have been residing on the Creek Road for the past two years near Niles, moved this week to Alvarado where they will reside at V and 10th street. He is employed at Westvaco Chlorine Products Company, Newark.

At Cabrillo Dinner

Attending the Cabrillo Club dinner at the Club Alabam last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Bernardo of Centerville. Also present were Mr. and Mrs. Serpa of the Edenvale Nursery of Niles.

From Vancouver

Miss Ida Leask of Vancouver, B. C., arrived last week to be the house guest at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bain Leask of Centerville. This is Miss Leask's first trip to California.

Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robbins of Niles will be dinner guests tomorrow night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre of Hayward.

In New Home

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Peters and baby are now living in their new home on Magnolia street in Newark. Recent dinner guests at the new home were Mrs. Peters' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bolyard.

House Guests

House guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Goodwin of Centerville this week are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brennan of Des Moines, Iowa. They made the trip from the middle west by plane.

Week-End Guests

Guests of Mrs. Anna Bradford this week-end will be her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Krumland of Byron. Friday night the two women plan to attend the district convention of Rebekahs in Berkeley.

IRVINGTON P.T.A. ELECTS OFFICERS

Mrs. Ed Haynes has been elected president of the Irvington P.T.A. for the coming year, succeeding Mrs. Al Peixoto in that position.

Other new officers named to head the group are: Mrs. Thomas Pereira, first vice-president; Gus Robertson, second vice-president; Mrs. Earl McIntosh, recording secretary; Mrs. Xavier Stone, corresponding secretary; Irene Harvey, treasurer; Mrs. Manuel Guardanapo, historian; Mrs. Roy Canright, auditor; and Mrs. Al Peixoto, parliamentarian.

Named as delegates to the Phoebe Hearst Council were: Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Elsie Rogers, Mrs. Jack Prouty, Mrs. R. Hanson, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. A. E. Alameda, Mrs. Vernon Leal, Mrs. Beech, Mrs. Sharp, and Mrs. John Perry.

The meeting marked one of the highlights of the year with the staging of a hilarious program by the men of the organization. This year's program, arranged by Jake Turnbow and Gus Robertson, was in the form of a radio skit and won the praise of all in attendance.

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We are glad to receive your social items, but please, please write the names of your guests out clearly! We know that they will appreciate seeing their names spelled correctly in the paper, and we will too.

We are always glad to receive news of showers, weddings, luncheons, engagements, etc. Either write, or phone Niles 4414.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Are Sin, Disease, and Death Real?" This question is the subject of the Christian Science Lesson-Sermon for Sunday, April 11. The Golden Text is from Isaiah: "Israel shall be saved in the Lord with an everlasting salvation" (45-17).

Included in the sermon is the following citation: Luke: "Now when the sun was setting, all they that had any sick with divers diseases brought them unto him; and he laid his hands on every one of them, and healed them" (4:40).

NILES V.F.W. POST PLANS BENEFIT DANCE

Plans for a benefit dance to be held next month were discussed at the Tuesday evening meeting of Vallejo Mills Post, V.F.W., Niles, at the Veterans Memorial Building.

The group also announced that the building will be open the third Thursday of each month for a "Gang Night" with all veterans of the township invited to get together for a social evening.

Several ladies were present at the meeting to further discuss the possibility of forming a Ladies' Auxiliary but such action cannot be taken until the minimum of 15 charter members can be obtained. All mothers, sisters, and wives of overseas veterans are eligible and are invited to join the auxiliary.

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REDUCED PRODUCTION OF ALFALFA

A general picture of reduced alfalfa this year can now be obtained from farmers' reports, says Farm Adviser Lee Benson. For the state as a whole, farmers estimate the reduction will be over ten per cent of the average in alfalfa last year.

Two causes are back of this reduction:

1. Some farmers planted crops which hold promise of more profit.
2. Others have taken out alfalfa for crops which use less water.

California growers harvested 1,005,000 acres of alfalfa in 1947. The reduction in acreage this year will total about 100,000 acres capable of producing nearly 500,000 tons of alfalfa. In the Imperial Valley over 30,000 acres of alfalfa lands have gone into other crops, principally flax. In one San Joaquin Valley county that normally produces 32,000 acres, the reduction was about 20 per cent. Farmers expect about 75,000 to 125,000 more acres to go into cotton this year because cotton takes less water.

The normal acreage of alfalfa started every year was not planted this season because of the abnormal planting conditions. This will reduce further the total acreage in bearing.

The farm advisor says drought conditions can be expected to reduce the tonnage harvested. The average for the state harvested in 1947 was 4.6 tons per acre. If this average should only go down to 4.5 tons per acre because of water shortage, we would lose 100,000 tons of alfalfa.

NEW THINGS IN FIELD CROPS

California farmers will get an informative preview of new research developments in field crop production at the Agronomy Field

Day on the College of Agriculture Campus at Davis, May 14. Vernon Miller, Itinerant Assistant Farm Advisor, says Dr. F. N. Briggs, of the Agronomy Division, promises the annual event will be of unusual interest this year.

In previous years many Alameda county farmers have attended this event and are planning to be present again this year.

Baart 46 wheat and Atlas barley, soon to be available commercially, are two brand new college-produced cereal varieties having superior disease resistance which will be shown growing in the experimental fields.

Flax variety trials as well as new methods of controlling weeds in the flax crop are included for demonstrations. Two new Punjab varieties will be presented in the variety trials.

Alfalfa growers will be interested in seeing a new hybrid alfalfa produced in the college plant breeders. It has resistance to bacterial wilt, a serious alfalfa disease in California.

Eight new pasture species suitable for use in the state will be shown by the researchers. Cooperation with weed specialists of the botany division, demonstrations of successful weed control methods in alfalfa and row crops will spotlight the afternoon's activities. The trials of pre-emergence sprays in sugar beets and cotton should attract considerable growers' interest.

The program will start at 10 a.m. sharp. Noon luncheon will be served at a nominal cost. Overnight accommodations are limited in Davis. Farmers should arrange early for their own hotel reservations either in Davis or at nearby Sacramento or Woodland.

BIRTH TO FRYING PAN IN EIGHT WEEKS

This year when smaller meat supplies are in prospect, a few rabbits in the back yard may help the family meals and budgets.

You can have rabbit meat in eight weeks from birth to frying pan, says Farm Adviser Lee G. Benson.

Spring months are a good time to plan for a year-round supply of this white, delicately flavored, nutritious meat. It is comparable to the breast of chicken.

Domestic rabbits are efficient meat producers, Benson says. On full rations a pound of rabbit, live weight, is produced from four and one-half pounds of feed on the average. It takes only 90 days from the time the doe is mated until a four-pound rabbit fryer is ready for the dinner table.

Rabbits can be fed largely on roughage such as alfalfa hay, some kitchen scraps like stale bread, cooked potatoes, and vegetable trimmings. You can feed some cull

garden vegetables like carrots and turnips.

Three or four does and a buck of medium weight or heavier breeders will be all you need to furnish the family with all the rabbit meat it can use and some extra for canning, freezing, or selling.

A doe produces four litters a year, or 20 to 24 young. These are ready for the table at eight to ten weeks when they will dress about two and one-half pounds.

Several circulars on backyard rabbit production are available free to those who request them at the Agricultural Extension Service, Basement, Post Office Building, Hayward.

The lack of rainfall in the vegetable producing districts to date has affected the quality of vegetables rather than volume. About the only planting dependent to any great extent upon rainfall is the spring pea crop in the coastal areas. This acreage was greatly reduced and prospects are for very light pickings this spring. Up to the present time there has been little change in the original plans of truck crop growers.

COVER CROPS USING UP MOISTURE

Cover crops in orchards may be a liability rather than an asset at this time because they are using up precious moisture in this dry season. Farm Adviser Lee Benson says moisture should be conserved for the trees by turning the cover crops under at once. Some growers have already done this.

Benson says the cover crop in an orchard could use up enough moisture in a month now to support the orchard for one month of its growing season.

Two chief purposes of cover crops are to provide green manure and prevent erosion. Green manure is useful for long-time soil improvement. Missing part of a season is of small importance. Erosion can be prevented by a "trashy tillage" that will leave some of the cover crop in the surface.

Current shortage of iron and steel scrap and the outlook for this winter seriously threaten the maintenance of maximum steel production, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Every piece of scrap that farmers collect and sell will help that much toward new farm machinery and other equipment.

FARM LAND IS HIGHER NOW

The average price of farm land in California is higher than it has ever been, according to David Weeks, University of California College of Agriculture economist, and Charles H. West, formerly director of research for the Farm Credit Administration in Berkeley. The two men have concluded a survey of the real estate situation in California which has just been

published by the University as Circular 379, "California's Farm Real Estate Situation."

By March, 1947, California farm land values reached 102 per cent above prewar levels while values in the United States as a whole had advanced 92 per cent, the study shows. Up to 1947, orchard and vineyard lands had increased most in price and dry farmed grain lands and range lands the least, with field crops and dairy lands between these extremes.

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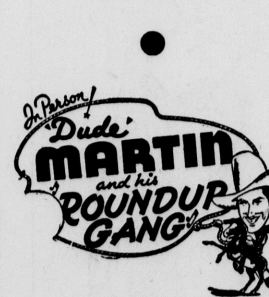
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